



2025 Annual Scholarship Awards for High School Seniors with Hearing Loss

The Hearing Loss Association of New Jersey is pleased to offer **two** scholarships in the amount of \$1,000 each. High School Seniors with hearing loss who plan to attend college, university or vocational school, beginning Fall 2025, are invited to apply. Eligible applicants must be between the ages of 17 and 20 who reside in New Jersey. The Scholarship is a one-time award that encourages and recognizes academic achievement, leadership qualities, community service, and work experience.

Funding for the Scholarship Awards is generously provided by the Hearing Society established in 1931 for the donation.

Scholarship Application

Application consists of:

- Application Google Form
- Personal essay
- Supporting documents (Transcript, Audiogram), and
- Two letters of reference

Submit ALL parts of the Scholarship Application to Rachel Lieberman, VP at Rachel.lieberman24@gmail.com, with the applicant's name in the subject line.

The final deadline for the completed Scholarship Application is **April 1st, 2025**.

Application Instructions

Application



Essay



1. The applicant must submit the Application Google Form, <https://forms.gle/UxRBjd4CTzEZ9Abc8>
2. Contact two people to write your letter of reference (teacher, coach, guidance counselor, etc.). Have them send their letter of reference to Rachel Lieberman at Rachel.lieberman24@gmail.com with the applicant's name in the subject line. Deadline is April 1st, 2025.
3. High school transcript should be requested from the high school registrar. The transcript should be sent to Rachel.lieberman24@gmail.com with the applicant's name in the subject line.
4. A recent audiogram. Please request a copy and email it to Rachel.lieberman24@gmail.com with the applicant's name in the subject line.
5. Essay: Approximately 500 words written by the applicant, please answer the prompt: "How Hearing Loss Has Impacted My Life and How I Have Met Those Challenges." Describe the impact of hearing loss on your life academically, emotionally, and socially. How have you met those challenges? Include details about your career goals, and your educational plan for achieving these goals. The Google Form to submit your essay can be found along with the general application. The link to the Google Form is: <https://forms.gle/Jzfb5dQeLuUBrgrb7>

Final Notes:

- Applicants will be contacted in mid/late April. Please check your emails consistently to make sure you respond in a timely manner. If not acknowledged within 3 days, the scholarship will be forfeited.
- Scholarship winners are **required** to attend the Scholarship Award Ceremony on May 10th at 2:15 PM to accept their award. Invite your friends, family, and teachers to celebrate this moment.
- If components are missing by the deadline, the application is not complete and will not be reviewed.
- Rachel Lieberman and/or Nicole Genser will confirm with the applicant that all components have been received.

Thank you for your time and effort in applying. If you or those involved in your application process have any questions or concerns, please email Rachel Lieberman (Rachel.lieberman24@gmail.com) and/or Nicole Genser (nsgenser@gmail.com). Good luck!